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FREAR'S LAND POLICY FAVORED IN HILO HILO HAD SHAKE LAST NIGHT

Shingle, Castro, Cohen, Kamanoulu, Hanohano and Long Are the Favorites

REPUBLICAN TICKET
CITY AND COUNTY
MAYOR—JOHN C. LANE.
SHERIFF—JOHN WISE.
TREASURER—HARRY VON HOLT.
COUNTY ATTORNEY—JOHN CATHCART.
COUNTY CLERK—D. K. LAUOKALANI JR.
AUDITOR—JAS. BICKNELL.
SUPERVISORS—R. W. AY-LETT, ANDREW E. COX, WM. A. KA-NE, DANIEL LOGAN, J. C. QUINN, NORMAN WATKINS and WM. AHIA.
DEPUTY SHERIFF OF HONOLULU—CHRISTIAN HOLT.
SENATORS
ED. HENRIQUES, E. W. QUINN, JOHN HUGHES
REPRESENTATIVES, FIFTH DISTRICT
RUEL KINNEY, E. B. MIKA-LEMI, A. S. KALEIOPU, S. P. CORREA, D. K. KAMA.

The Representatives of the Fourth District will be nominated this evening.

Now that the smoke of battle is clearing away after the strenuous session of the Republican County and District Convention last Saturday night, the remainder of the convention, the session which will take place to nominate the Representatives from the Fourth District, appears, in spite of its importance, to be regarded almost as a sideshow only, the public having had its appetite whetted to more spectacular battles.

Among the politicians, however, the work is still going on, though hardly with the same zeal as before. The various precincts of the Fourth are making slates, and while these agree in regard to some of the candidates, there is still not sufficient harmony amongst them to allow the prediction of victory for any one particular set

of candidates with any degree of certainty.

Kamanoulu, Long, Shingle and Hanohano are the favorites, and they will without much doubt be nominated. Cohen, Castro and Douthitt are fairly certain to furnish the two remaining nominations between them, the two former being considered slightly stronger in the running than Douthitt, as there is a report that for some unexplained reason he is to be knifed by certain delegates. Joseph Makalela and Robert Baker are apparently out of it.

The strongest slate which has been brought to notice so far is one prepared by the Fifth, Sixth and Seventh precincts, which includes the names of Cohen, Kamanoulu, Hanohano, Castro, Shingle and Long. The Sixth has twenty-one delegates and the two other precincts twelve delegates each, making a total of forty-five delegates, which is a nice nest-egg out of the total of 136 delegates for any candidate to start with.

Another slate has been suggested by the Lane men, which includes Hanohano, Shingle, Kamanoulu, Castro and Long, with Cohen and Douthitt tied for the sixth place.

It is possible that Makalela may withdraw before the voting commences. As might be expected under all circumstances there has been considerable kicking at the results of the convention. Some of those who saw their favorites left are not able to take the sportsmanlike view of the matter, and there is considerable dissatisfaction voiced, especially in the Fifth District.

One kick has for its basis the fact that the town section of the Fifth has no representative on the Board of Supervisors, the two Supervisors from the Fifth being both from country districts. It has been pointed out to the dissatisfied ones that Lane, as Mayor, is a member of the Board, but they do not wish to see this point.

Another howl has been raised on account of the fact that the Senatorial ticket includes no Hawaiians.

Boyd's Position.
In the connection the fact that Jimmy Boyd, who was a Hawaiian candidate for the toga, withdrew before the voting, has caused much comment. As a matter of fact, it has been learned on most excellent authority that Jimmy was persuaded to withdraw by being promised the job of secretary of the Mayor, should Lane be elected. Furthermore, an attempt will be made to have the Legislature raise the salary attached to this position, as it is at present only \$100 a month. This fact was given out open-

ly today by some of Lane's most intimate friends and supporters, and several people stated that Boyd had told them that this was the arrangement on the night of the convention.

Crawford's Promise.
Willie Crawford, who withdrew by request from the contest for nomination for Representative from the Fifth District, was also induced to do so by a promise of a salaried position. Crawford said this morning that he had been promised Eli Crawford's position in the District Court, as Eli had been promised the job of secretary to the Mayor. This is, however, the very same position which has been promised to Boyd, and Eli denies that he has been promised it, and states emphatically that he is not after it, so there has evidently been some kind of a hitch somewhere.

Another kick at the convention results comes from Kapiolani, the delegates from that district claiming that they have been left in the cold as they have no representation either in the Legislature or the Board of Supervisors.

Democratic Hopes.
During all this the Democrats are working strenuously to get together as strong a ticket as possible. They all agree that a strong ticket would have a chance to do up the Republican ticket, and on the whole seem to be far more sanguine than the occasion would warrant.

Today the leaders are very busy trying to get a candidate for Mayor, but they are sadly up against it on account of the lack of material. It is generally conceded among that a haole would stand the best chance against Lane, and such a man is now wanted in the worst way.

Joe Fern, who has been most prominently mentioned for the Mayoralty, stated himself this morning that the Democratic party by running a strong haole could beat Lane, and that this was the course which the party should follow.

Fern's position has caused much satisfaction among the Democrats, who hope to have the dove of peace settle at their convention next Wednesday, and all efforts are now bent on getting either Trent or Waller to run. The trouble with these two gentlemen is, however, that neither wants to give up his business to accept the position, and each of them would much prefer to have the other accept the honor. Waller stated positively that he would not run, and Trent said that he did not want to do so, and would probably not do so. He has.

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Hilo Suggests Change In Residential Clause

The people of Hilo almost unanimously endorse Governor Frear's new form of special agreement sales of land, with the exception that they make of the residential clause, which provides that the settler must go into actual residence upon the land after one year. They advance the suggestion that actual residence should begin upon land after three, or at the least, two years. Otherwise they are very contented with the form of right of purchase lease made by the Governor. A. Lewis Jr., Chairman of the Land Advisory Board.

Governor Frear's new advisory

board on the land question has been getting in at the very bottom of the work, and A. Lewis Jr. has returned from Hawaii, where a well-attended meeting of those interested in the Hawaiian land-law question was held. The above statement covers gist of what was done and what was accomplished at the meeting.

"We are going to find out, if possible," said Mr. Lewis this afternoon, "whether the fault lies with the laws themselves or whether it lies in the administration of them. With this end in view, we decided to hold public meetings on the several islands."

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HILO SHOCKED SEVEN SECONDS

(Special Bulletin Wireless)
HILO, Hawaii, Sept. 21.—The heaviest earthquake that has visited this town in years was experienced Sunday evening at ten minutes past eight. The shock was very and lasted for seven seconds. No serious damage was done although all the stores and residences suffered some loss from broken glassware that was shaken off the shelves. The shock had no apparent connection with the Volcano, which has undergone no special change, though still very active.

ROOSEVELT COMES TO AID OF TAFT

OYSTER BAY, L. I., Sept. 21.—President Roosevelt has written a letter in which he strongly advocates the election of Mr. Taft as President.

PROGRESS OF CHOLERA IS NOT CHECKED

ST. PETERSBURG, Russia, Sept. 21.—During the last twenty-four hours there have been 380 cases of cholera and 155 deaths in this city. Outside the military and suburban hospitals of the provinces there are 488 cases and 210 deaths.

VETERANS AID SANITARY CORPS

MANILA, P. I., Sept. 21.—The cholera returns today show thirty-five new cases, three of which are Americans. The Constabulary veterans are aiding the sanitary corps.

BULLS RUSHED AUDIENCE

LISBON, Portugal, Sept. 21.—Twenty-two bulls escaped from a bull-fight arena here today. Seven people were killed and twenty injured by the infuriated animals.

RETIRE COL. STEWART

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 21.—Col. Stewart, whose assignment to service amounting practically to exile has created much comment, has been ordered to appear before the Retiring Board in this city.

PARIS POSTOFFICE SAVED

PARIS, France, Sept. 21.—The Postoffice has been saved from destruction by fire.

WRIGHT'S RECORD FLIGHT

LE MANS, France, Sept. 21.—The Wright aeroplane made a flight today of one hour, thirty-one minutes, and twenty-five seconds. This is a record flight.

Lane Asks United Work

"In recognition of the nomination I received at the convention as a Republican candidate for Mayor, I wish to thank those who have supported me. In the interest of party harmony, I hope that those who voted for or against me will help the Republican party to victory."—John C. Lane, candidate for Mayor.

John C. Lane, who received the nomination as Republican candidate for the first Mayor of the City and

Admiral Hollyday Is Here

Rear Admiral R. C. Hollyday, U. S. N., chief of the Department of Yards and Docks, arrived here this morning by the Mongolia, for a short stay, during which he will become personally familiar with conditions here, and with the work being done and yet to be done at Pearl Harbor. He is accompanied by Mrs. Hollyday.

Admiral Hollyday sent out for this Pearl Harbor work, Civil Engineer Parks, who has had charge of it for some months past, who was a member of the board of investigation of which Admiral Schroeder was chairman, and who is at present in charge of the work.

It is expected that, while Admiral Hollyday will not make a long stay here, he will go over the Pearl Harbor site, and go fully into the details of the work.

He was met on board the Mongolia this morning by Captain Corwin P. Rees, commandant at the Naval Station.



JOHN LANE
Who Will Be Honolulu's First Mayor
County of Honolulu, is a well-known Republican worker. For many years he was the vice chairman of the Republican Territorial Committee and, with A. G. M. Robertson as his superior, has worked for the Republican party since its inception in Hawaii. In November, 1904, Mr. Lane was elected Senator from the Fifth District. He was the author of the Municipal bill, under which he is now a candidate for Mayor.

Senator Lane was born at Makao, Koolauloa, Oahu, July 22, 1872. He received his first education in the public school of which Edward Hore was principal. From there he entered St. Louis College, graduating with honor. Subsequently he became a pursuer for a small steamer, the Kala, commanded by Capt. Haglund. Severing his connection with the steamship company, he entered the Honolulu road department as a book-keeper under the late Road Supervisor Wm. Cummings. He held the position until the overthrow of the monarchy. Later he opened a business office.

On January 4, 1900, Senator Lane entered the service of the Inter-Island and Steam Navigation Company, where he is still a trusted employee. "Before our father died, he called his boys, including myself, before him and advised us to become Republicans in case the monarchical form of government was overthrown," said Mr. Lane in speaking of his politics. "That is why I became a Republican and I expect to remain so as long as I live." The family is a large one and all are Republican workers.

No Transfer For Cofer

Dr. L. E. Cofer stated this forenoon that so far as he knows there is no foundation for the story abroad that he is to be transferred from this post in the Marine Hospital Service. Mr. Cofer said that he has asked for a leave similar to that which he took last year in order that he may visit his daughter in the east. He has not, however, asked for a transfer and does not want one. "I do not want to leave Honolulu," said the doctor, answering a direct question, "and although my term will be up in December I know of no reason at present why I should be transferred."

SUGAR

SAN FRANCISCO, Calif., Sept. 15. SUGAR: 98 degree Centrifugals, 3.95 cents, or \$78. per ton. Previous quotation, 3.90 cents.

BEETS: 88 analysis, 9s. 8 1-4d. Parity, 4.03 cents. Previous quotation, 9s. 6 3-4d.

A two-story house in Palolo valley belonging to W. E. Rowell and leased to Miss Worland, was destroyed by fire yesterday afternoon. The blaze was caused by the explosion of an oil stove. Miss Worland lost goods valued at about \$100.

Chester Doyle will probably be selected by the Japanese merchants to go to Japan to fetch back Abe, the absconder.



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